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In re Application of :
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Dong Joon KIM : Confirmation No.4032
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For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

A refund in the amount of \$1,400.00 is requested for the following reason:

An Amendment and a Petition for Extension of Time were timely submitted to the Patent Office on *April 17, 2006*, responsive to the *final* Official Action mailed December 15, 2005. Applicants were approaching the non-extendable deadline of June 15, 2006, but had not received a response from the Petitions Office nor Examiner regarding the previously filed papers. Thus, to avoid abandonment, applicant was forced to file a Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of Time. Since the delay in time was *not* the fault of the applicant, a refund for the amount indicated above is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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